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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of | : | |
| Yoshihiro KURODA, et al. | : | |
| Application No.: Not Yet Assigned | : | Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned |
| Filed: May 19, 2006 | : | Examiner: Not Yet Assigned |
| For: | : | |
| HIGH-STRENGTH AND HIGHLY-WEAR-RESISTANT SINTERED DIAMOND OBJECT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE SAME | | |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments are on page 3 of this paper.